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The Commissioner of Patents & Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231 U.S.A.

Attention: Box Missing Parts

Dear Sir:

NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION Re:

United States Patent Application No. 09/899,552 Re:

Method of Identifying High Immune Response Animals Title:

Lauraine Wagter-Lesperance and Bonnie Mallard Inventors:

July 6, 2001 Filing Date:

1644 Art Unit;

This is in response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application -Filing Date Granted dated August 7, 2001, a copy of which we attach. Applicants are simultaneously filing a petition for a one-month extension of time rendering the due date for reply November 7, 2001.

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.53, applicant hereby submits an executed Declaration for Patent Application of inventors Lauraine Wagter-Lesperance and Bonnie Mallard.

Also attached please find our cheque no. 324 in the amount of \$1,030.00, in respect of (1) the filing fee of \$370.00 (small entity); (2) additional claim fees of \$540.00; (3) the government surcharge of \$65.00 (small entity) and (4) the extension of time fee of \$55.00. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. Applicant claims small entity status under 37 CFR § 1.27.

If any additional fee is due, including a fee for a further extension of time, such an extension is hereby requested and the Commissioner is authorized to charge any such fee to Deposit Account No. 02-2095.

Respectfully submitted,

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FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- Applicant must submit \$ 355 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming The statutory basic filing fee is missing. such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$522.
 - \$162 for 18 total claims over 20.
 - \$360 for 9 independent claims over 3.
- A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the The oath or declaration is missing. above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified 11/06/2001 RADDF01 00000008 09899552 in this letter.

The balance due by applicant is \$-942.

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